Che Robbery of the Citizen's Bank

LENGTH, 680 FEET.

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A gang of expert bank thieves conceived the idea of robbing a bank located in a suburban town. One of the number a venerable, plausible old rascal, in company with a girl, presumably his daughter, opened an account and rented a deposit box in the Bank Vault. The last action gave them a good opportunity to study the location of the treasure. A German member of the gang rents an empty store next door and apparently does business as a cobbler. The rest come separately to his shop and wait for instructions. "Old Doc" shows a plan where by tunneling through the cellar the vault may be reached. A convenient time comes when the plan is put into execution. An immense sum is acquired. A burglar alarm has been overlooked, and the robbery is discovered.

A posse is organized and follows. Terrific riding and shooting brings them to the side of a precipice. With the desperation of the hunted animal they descend the frightful chasm. Fresh horses are procured. The posse again gets on the trail driving the thieves before them, who jump into the river. The sheriff and posse finally corral them in their retreat. After a shooting battle the thieves are placed in irons and the money is recovered.



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